

## SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 488

By Herron

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Joshua Lyn Potts, 2007  
Salutatorian of South Fulton High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Joshua "Josh" Lyn Potts is one such exceptional student who was recently named Salutatorian of the 2007 graduating class at South Fulton High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Mr. Potts has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in his remarkable high school career, Josh has earned an exemplary grade point average, while serving as a valued member of several scholastic and service organizations, including the Beta Club, Future Business Leaders of America, and the Drama Club; and

WHEREAS, in addition to his status as a stellar scholar, this exceptional young man has earned numerous honors and accolades, including the E-Commerce Award and Ray Kosuda Website Development Award at the Future Business Leaders of America State Conference; and

WHEREAS, in addition, Josh Potts has been recognized as a Tennessee Scholar and is an Obion County Challenge Graduate; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Potts's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for his success as a student at the University of Tennessee at Martin, where he plans to major in Engineering; and

WHEREAS, Josh's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for his mother, Patsy Potts, his school, and his community; and

WHEREAS, Josh Potts's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FIFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby honor and commend Joshua Lyn Potts, 2007 South Fulton High School Salutatorian, on his impressive academic achievement and extend to him our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.